

**§ 1260.127**

**7 CFR Ch. XI (1–1–11 Edition)**

**§ 1260.127 Marketing.**

*Marketing* means the sale or other disposition in commerce of cattle, beef or beef products.

**§ 1260.128 Act.**

*Act* means the Beef Promotion and Research Act of 1985, Title XVI, Subtitle A of the Food Security Act of 1985, Pub. L. 99–198 and any amendments thereto.

**§ 1260.129 Customs Service.**

*Customs Service* means the United States Customs Service of the United States Department of the Treasury.

**§ 1260.130 Part and subpart.**

*Part* means the Beef Promotion and Research Order and all rules and regulations issued pursuant to the Act and the order, and the order itself shall be a “subpart” of such Part.

**CATTLEMEN’S BEEF PROMOTION AND RESEARCH BOARD**

**§ 1260.141 Membership of Board.**

(a) Beginning with the 2008 Board nominations and the associated appointments effective early in the year 2009, the United States shall be divided into 39 geographical units and 1 unit representing importers, and the number of Board members from each unit shall be as follows:

CATTLE AND CALVES <sup>1</sup>		
State/unit	(1,000 Head)	Direc-tors
1. Alabama .....	1,307 ....	1
2. Arizona .....	930 .....	1
3. Arkansas .....	1,773 ....	2
4. California .....	5,450 ....	5
5. Colorado .....	2,617 ....	3
6. Florida .....	1,707 ....	2
7. Idaho .....	2,117 ....	2
8. Illinois .....	1,347 ....	1
9. Indiana .....	883 .....	1
10. Iowa .....	3,783 ....	4
11. Kansas .....	6,550 ....	7
12. Kentucky .....	2,363 ....	2
13. Louisiana .....	847 .....	1
14. Michigan .....	1,030 ....	1
15. Minnesota .....	2,390 ....	2
16. Mississippi .....	1,013 ....	1
17. Missouri .....	4,450 ....	4
18. Montana .....	2,383 ....	2
19. Nebraska .....	6,500 ....	7
20. Nevada .....	500 .....	1
21. New Mexico .....	1,543 ....	2
22. New York .....	1,410 ....	1
23. North Carolina .....	860 .....	1

**CATTLE AND CALVES <sup>1</sup>—Continued**

State/unit	(1,000 Head)	Direc-tors
24. North Dakota .....	1,760 ....	2
25. Ohio .....	1,280 ....	1
26. Oklahoma .....	5,350 ....	5
27. Oregon .....	1,397 ....	1
28. Pennsylvania .....	1,603 ....	2
29. South Dakota .....	3,717 ....	4
30. Tennessee .....	2,240 ....	2
31. Texas .....	13,933 ..	14
32. Utah .....	830 .....	1
33. Virginia .....	1,640 ....	2
34. Wisconsin .....	3,383 ....	3
35. Wyoming .....	1,403 ....	1
36. Northwest .....	1.	
Alaska .....	15.	
Hawaii .....	158.	
Washington .....	1,107.	
Total .....	1,280.	
37. Northeast .....	1.	
Connecticut .....	54.	
Delaware .....	23.	
Maine .....	90.	
Massachusetts .....	46.	
New Hampshire .....	38.	
New Jersey .....	41.	
Rhode Island .....	5.	
Vermont .....	272.	
Total .....	569.	
38. Mid-Atlantic .....	.....	1
Maryland .....	228.	
West Virginia .....	412.	
Total .....	640.	
39. Southeast .....	.....	2
Georgia .....	1,187.	
South Carolina .....	415.	
Total .....	1,602.	
40. Importer <sup>2</sup> .....	.....	9

<sup>1</sup> 2005, 2006, and 2007 average of January 1 cattle inventory data.

<sup>2</sup> 2004, 2005, and 2006 average of annual import data.

(b) The Board shall be composed of cattle producers and importers appointed by the Secretary from nominations submitted pursuant to the Act and regulations of this Part. A producer may only be nominated to represent the unit in which that producer is a resident.

(c) At least every three (3) years, and not more than every two (2) years, the Board shall review the geographic distribution of cattle inventories throughout the United States and the volume of imported cattle, beef, and beef products and, if warranted, shall reapportion units and/or modify the number of Board members from units in order to best reflect the geographic distribution of cattle production volume in the United States and the volume of imported cattle, beef, or beef products into the United States.